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RADAR ROAD PATROLS AIMED AT UNSAFE, CARELESS DRIVERS

"Road Radar Patrolled."

These words, which now appear on traffic signs in communities all over the nation, bring a smile to the lips of the nation's motorists who think they are in on a secret method to "beat" the scientific speed detection devices.

Method or no method, they've got a surprise in store if they speed through a radar speed detection station, says William J. Toth of New York City. Mr. Toth, a member of the staff of New York University's Center for Safety Education, is currently on leave from the University and traveling through the nation with a radar-equipped car as an educational activity in connection with the nationwide "Slow Down and Live" campaign that began last Memorial Day and will end on Labor Day.

This is the fourth summer that Mr. Toth has been on the road with the car, and in that time he has probably heard more theories advanced for beating the radar equipment than any other man in the nation. "But I've yet to hear one that will work," he declares.

"The most widely held belief," he says, "is that strips of tin foil attached to the car, or steel bearings thrown loose in the hub-caps or chewing gum wrappers tossed from the window when passing a radar unit, will upset its readings. If anything, these methods would only make for a more accurate reading."

"Other people think that if they blow their horns, or blink their lights, or throw their car in neutral and race their engines, they can jam radar. Actually, radar is unaffected by these devices as it is by moonlight, or a car radio, or the color of a driver's clothing."

Some drivers are more inventive, and their methods for beating radar range from the use of sprack chains (to drag off static electricity) to plastic car bodies, to mechanical gadgets attached to the engine.

Still no luck, according to Mr. Toth. The determined machine cars nothing at all for mechanical gadgets or the amount of static electricity present. And as for the car body, it will shoot right through plywood, plastic, plate glass and cloth and take its readings from the engine and even from the driver's body!

Near as Mr. Toth can figure, it would take an all plastic, driverless car to escape radar detection, and there are very few of those around, now.

But why, he asks, should any right-thinking driver want to beat radar anyway? Its one purpose is to help law enforcement officers remove from the highways those drivers whose irresponsible actions endanger the lives of the 85 percent of motorists who drive carefully, obey posted speed limits and would rather live and let live than endanger their own and other innocent lives by juvenile actions.

"The annual 'Slow Down and Live' campaign, administered by the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators, aims at reducing the five speed associated violations which are present in 90 percent of all fatal traffic accidents," Mr. Toth says. "The program tells us to do this through public education and through stepped-up enforcement efforts. In every previous year, and as far as 1955, it has reduced or held even the number of traffic accidents in spite of ever increasing volumes of traffic and in the face of a steadily rising traffic fatality curve."

"So why try to beat radar?" he asks. "In the first place, it can't be done. And in the second place, it's helping to save your life by removing from the highways those drivers who refuse to 'Slow Down and Live.'"



THE HOWES—John, Debbie, and Jud, with their collie, Frisky, as they were leaving last Thursday morning for Moscow, Idaho. After stopping for a short visit with Mr. Howe's sister in Detroit, Mich., where Debbie remained to join her mother on her flight west next week, John and Jud continued on their planned

schedule and were at Kearney, Neb., Wednesday night. They expect to arrive at Moscow, Sunday. Mrs. Howe with the young children, Jeff and Ellen, plans to leave by plane next Wednesday. Mr. Howe has accepted the professorship of wood utilization at the University of Idaho.

—Dan Brown Photo

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The men working on the revaluation program are again in town and going over the properties a second time, to check values from different viewpoints. Those properties which are being used for places of business and for rents are being reviewed from an income point of view, as well as the value of the buildings themselves. The men are also trying to get as much information as possible from the property owners of those places which were closed on the first visit they made.

As soon as possible after these values are in, we expect to mail out a preliminary statement to you as to your new valuation and the probable tax rate and tax. You then will have an opportunity to come in to discuss the situation with the tax assessors. If it is your wish we will be glad to accept a partial payment on taxes subject to the final bill.

Thank you,
O. T. Rozelle

Boxes for contributions to the Jimmy Fund will be collected at end of this week.

The Three-Quarter Century Club met Wednesday, Aug. 15, at Grana. Those attending from this area were: Wesley Wheeler of Bethel, George Davis and Leo Grant of Woodstock, accompanied by Donald Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodstock and daughter, Debra and Kathleen of South Woodstock, Conn., visited relatives in town on Saturday when they brought Mrs. Ellen Anderson home after spending two weeks with them in Connecticut.

Mrs. Esther Brown was hostess Sunday at the annual party of a group of Grana Academy 1937 graduates. Present were Mrs. Mildred Barker, Leona; Mrs. Evelyn Tamm, Yarmouth; Mrs. Thelma Card, Norway; Mrs. Edna York, Mrs. Bertha Mills, Mrs. Gladys Wilson and Mrs. Esther Brown, Bethel.

The Bethel Extension Association group met at the home of Mrs. Grace Buck on Aug. 15 and then went to the Animal Farm in Randolph for a picnic lunch and business meeting. They then returned to Mrs. Buck's for a "Honey Neighbor" program. John Foster gave a very interesting talk on "Lumbering, farming and life in Canada."

The Polo Clinic was held Wednesday, Aug. 15, with 125 people receiving their first polo shot. The next meeting will be Sept. 5 at the Legion Rooms from 9 to 11. Those helping on the committee are: Mrs. Gary York, Mrs. Leon Wilson, Mrs. Richard McMullen, Mrs. Malcolm Mandt, Mrs. Kate Johnson, Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. John Tidwell, Mrs. Gustav Cross, Mrs. Twaddle and Public Health Officer Miss Velma Spencer.

MAINE'S MILLIONTH VISITOR TO TOUR BETHEL

Mrs. Juanita Myers of Newark, Ohio, the lucky vacationist who was chosen as Maine's Millionth Visitor in 1956 by the Portland Junior Chamber of Commerce, will pay a brief visit to Bethel on Friday, August 17 as a part of her two-week tour of the Pine Tree State. The tour has already included visits to coastal points and the point to empire of Acadia County in the new station wagon which was also one of the prizes awarded Mrs. Myers by the Portland merchants who sponsored the event.

On her visit to Bethel, this year's winner will be accompanied by her husband, George, and William A. Howe who is the official conductor of the tour. The entire party will be luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy P. Butler at the Bethel Inn.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Bonita Eames is in South China this week visiting Miss Judy MacKay.

Mrs. Guy Gibbs and three sons are spending a week visiting in Blue Hill.

There will be several new articles in the Thrift Table at the Gift Shop this week.

Mrs. Floyd Bartlett is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Smart in Buckton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Markey have returned after spending several days in Aikland.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Kelly and daughter Carol were Sunday guests of Simon Kelly.

Miss Sarah Doran of Boston is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Earlton Paine and family.

Bobby and Patty Hanson are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. O. Bonahue.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Johnson of Pennsylvania are visiting with Mrs. Dorothy Kirkpatrick.

Miss Helen Richardson of Fryeburg is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Abner Brown, this week.

Mrs. Elaine Christie is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Harold Campbell, in Norway for a few days.

Mrs. Lawrence Bennett and Mrs. Violet Bennett have been on a three day trip along the coast.

Miss Shirley Ann Merrill is spending a week with the aunt and uncle at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchins and family are spending this week at camp at Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Rabe were in Portland Saturday to attend the wedding of their son, Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Butler of Port Grandville, Me., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Butler, in Bangor.

Lorraine and Bill Eames are visiting in Augusta with their aunt, Mrs. Anna Eames, this week.

Richard Eames of Bangor, Me., spent the week with Mrs. Eames and family at 8 N. Broadway.

George Hild and Mrs. Hild are visiting their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grace in North Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Leland have returned to their home on Saturday to spend a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Leland. He has been stationed at United States Air Force Academy, Colorado, and will leave Aug. 27 for Fort Bliss, Texas, where he will attend Electronics School for nine months.

Carol Eick celebrated her 11th birthday with a family pot luck supper at Mrs. Neil Congo Food, Tuesday, Aug. 15. Those present were Mrs. Leona Eick, Frank and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, Julia and Violet, Mrs. Julia Brown, Mrs. Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Fred Edwards and Carl Gustaf.

242 OXFORD COUNTY FARMERS APPROVED FOR ASSISTANCE

242 farmers have been approved for cost-share assistance in Oxford County, according to the records in the office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, William C. Chapman, Chairman, states that heading the list of materials approved for soil improvement is 1,363 tons of lime for 146 farms, while commercial fertilizers are second with 463 tons of 8-16-16, 0-20-20, and super approved for 134 farms.

Permanent type practices such as drainage and diversion ditches, farm ponds, and contour farming operations have been approved for \$2,701 of assistance; and forest tree planting and woodlot improvement have had approvals amounting to \$5,693, according to the chairman.

Mr. Chapman also reports that the date for filing report of performance on 146 farms expires on August 31 on many practices and if not reported or requested extended they must be cancelled on September 1. The final date for performance on seeding practices now expiring on August 31 will be extended only to September 10, according to the vote of the county committee.

The chairman states that only \$364.30 of program funds remain in the county quota for approving cost share assistance under the 1955 program, but he expects the 1957 program to open in September, and the committee will meet the latter part of August to consider requests for approval for practices of both years.

REUNION

The eighth reunion of the descendants of Ernest R. and Eva Thompson Eames was held at the Branch House, Newry, Aug. 5. A baked bean dinner was served and entertainment was furnished with accordion selections by Philip and Donna Brown. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eames, Carol and Ronald, Graham, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Eames, Norman, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Chester, Erol, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Katherine, Dryden; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eames, Bethel; Lorraine, Bill and Sam; Mr. and Mrs. Dana Eames, Bangor; and Janet, Wilton.

Jedidiah Eames of Woodstock is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Richard Brown while her mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thurston and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Baker are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thurston and daughter, Judy Ann of Bethel, Me., are spending two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thurston.

Nancy Bartlett who has spent six weeks at Camp Hilde will return home on Sunday. Other boys from Bethel at Camp Hilde are Peter Davis and Timothy Brooks.

Bliss P. Brown, formerly of Bethel, was awarded to his home in South Paris Wednesday from the 11th Special Location where he was after suffering a short two weeks ago.

Mrs. Bertha Reardon of Mapleton, Me., Mrs. Frank Reardon, Jr. and three daughters of Melrose, Me., called on friends in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert West, Peter, John and Betty Ann, Mrs. Raymond West and Susan, Richard and Deane and Mrs. H. I. Ryan spent several days of their camp in Allamore recently.

Miss Mary Gullen returned to White Park, Va. on Wednesday, Aug. 15 after spending the summer at the Camp Road, Marysville, Me., where she is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Eades and daughter, Joan, and Claire, returned to Bethel, N. J., today (Thursday) after spending two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eades. Eades' group has completed their work at Harrison and is returning with them.

Political Advertisement

MEET THE

Republican

Candidates

Bethel Community Room

Monday, Aug. 20, 4 p. m.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPT. 5

All elementary schools of Union 22—Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Newry, Upton—will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

TO STOP HERE MONDAY

In a tour of Oxford County next Monday, the Republican State and County candidates will arrive at the Community Room at 4 o'clock next Monday afternoon, Aug. 20, for a half hour visit. Everyone is invited to come and meet the candidates. There will be no speeches. Besides the County candidates there will be present United States Senators Frederick Payne and Margaret Chase Smith, Congressman Robert Hale, and Willis Trafton, candidate for Governor.

The party also plans to be at Hanover, 3:15-3:30; Newry Corner, 3:45; and Locke Mills at 5 o'clock.

PLANE CRASH FEARED

Immediately after a jet plane flying a westerly direction passed over here Wednesday evening about 7:30, heavy smoke was seen for some time coming from the further side of the mountain where the plane went from sight. It is believed by many who witnessed it that the plane must have crashed and burned near the Maine New Hampshire line north of Gilead. It is rumored that a search in that area has revealed no wreckage.

BARLOW - CHAPMAN

Miss Mary Jane Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman II, Bethel, became the bride of Rodman Barlow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barlow, East Bethel, at a simple ceremony held at the home of the bride's parents on Broad Street at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, August 11.

The double-ring service was performed by the Rev. Herbert Hough, North Waterford, before members of the immediate families, and the couple was unattended.

The bride wore a street length dress of Alice Blue, fashioned with full skirt and boat neckline. Her carriage was of white carnations and lilies of the valley.

Immediately following, an informal reception was held, with the Misses, Carlton and Chester, Erol, Maudie, and Betty Chapman as bridesmaids, and the bride's sister, Miss Mary Jane Chapman, as flower girl.

The couple left on a short wedding trip after which they will register in East Bethel until September when they will go to Grana.

Mrs. Barlow is a graduate of Grana Academy in the class of 1955, and she attended the University of Maine. Mr. Barlow graduated from Grana Academy in 1950 and will enter the freshman class of the University of Maine in the fall where he will study engineering.

RING REUNION

The annual Ring reunion was held Aug. 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Bethel. There were 50 members present.

The meeting was opened by a prayer led by Arthur Packard.

The following officers were chosen: president, Mrs. Eva Parra; vice president, James Ring; secretary and treasurer, Miss Sylvia Ring.

Hugh and Fred Cashey announced they would hold open house at Gully Hilde farm on Howe Hill (Sept. 2 from 2 to 5 p. m.) to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ring. Parents and relatives are all welcome.

The reunion next year will be held the second Sunday in August at Gully Hilde farm, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cashey as host and hostess.

Those present were: Mrs. Christina I. Ring, Lewiston; Edward M. Ring, Mrs. Florence Ring, Me. and Mrs. Fred Cashey, Leona and George, Me. and Mrs. Arthur Packard, Portland; Mrs. Norma Martin, Bethel; Mrs. Leona and Frank, Me. and Mrs. Elsie Graham, Me. and Mrs. Emma Ring, Leona, Me. and Mrs. Herman Polke and Rachel, Bethel; Mrs. Ruth (Mrs. O. M. and Mrs. James Thomas and Elsie, Me. and Mrs. Frank Hays, Me. and Mrs. Betty Ring, Me. and Mrs. Mary Ring, Leona and Ted, Bryant, Me. and Mrs. Keith Ring, Newry; Kenneth Allen and Howard, Bethel.

BETHEL MINISTER TO TAKE NEW HAVEN PASTORATE IN SEPT.

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Pendleton and family are sorry to learn of Mr. Pendleton's decision to accept a New Haven, Conn., pastorate. Since coming to the Bethel West Parish Congregational Church in December 1950, the Pendletons have been active in many phases of local endeavor and their energy and co-operation will be missed greatly. The following letter will explain.

Congregational Manse
Bethel, Maine
14 August 1956

Mr. Carl Brown
Bethel Citizen
Bethel, Maine
Dear Mr. Brown:

Will you grant me the privilege of announcing through the Citizen that I have been called to minister to the Westville Congregational Church of New Haven, Connecticut and that I will leave Bethel to take up my duties there sometime in September?

I look forward toward my new work with eagerness but I regret that the time has come to move because so many of Bethel's people have permitted me to be their friend.

Millions and the children have the same mixed feelings as I. If it were possible to thank everyone—both members and friends of our church—who helped to make this ministry so interesting and fruitful we would write at length, but since there are limits we do commend our colleagues in the Methodist Church, the town officers, doctors, our dentist, public school teachers, the Greenland Funeral Home, our Public Health nurse, Bethel's organizations, especially the Bazaar Committee, the Health Council, the PTA, and not least, the Citizen itself, please let it be known that we have worked together for the same end.

Above all, if it were in my power, I would honor individuals, those who performed so many anonymous acts of goodness and those with the courage to accept responsibility in this Christian community. Sometimes, it is true we all become weary of the constant demands that are placed upon us. Then we ought to remember that the reward is great that we can turn to our Maker for refreshment, and perhaps we can think of these lines which we sometimes sing:
"O Labor on, and on, and on;
The day to do the Father's will!
It is the way the Master willed
Should not the servant tread it still?"

Sincerely yours,
Charles L. Pendleton

A coffee was held Thursday morning Aug. 9 at the home of Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Bethel, by Mrs. Dale Thurston, honoring Mrs. Howard Thurston. Those attending were: Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mrs. Jon Perry, Mrs. Fred, Mrs. Mrs. Richard Thurston, Mrs. Richard Young, Mrs. Frank A. Newry, Mrs. Richard Webster, Mrs. George Leach, Mrs. Philip (Mrs. Leona) Mrs. Gary York, Mrs. R. and Bryant.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL SAVINGS DEPOSITORS

In the city of Bethel, Me., of and for the Bethel Savings Bank, notice is hereby given that the Primary Savings Bank of Bethel, Me., is now open for business. We are asking that you and your family join the group and make a deposit of one dollar or more. We will then begin to pay you interest on your deposit. If you do not wish to make a deposit, you may wish to make a loan. If you wish to make a loan, you should be able to get a loan of up to \$100.00 at a 5% interest rate.

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Cor.—
The Bryant Pond Garden Club met at Abbott's Anchorage Thursday for their annual picnic, with 16 ladies present. A pot luck lunch was served. At the business meeting, presided over by Mrs. Anne Jordan, it was voted to meet Sept. 13, with the place to be announced later. Those who attended were Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Mrs. Cleo Billings, Mrs. Gertrude Davis, Miss Harriette Stetson, Mrs. Bertha Houghton, Mrs. George Gates, Mrs. Esther Dunlap, Mrs. Margaret Wheeler, Mrs. Edna Day, Miss Mary Bartlett, Mrs. Bertha Beck, Mrs. Anne Jordan, Mrs. Nellie Bowker, Mrs. Abby Valley, Mrs. Ruth Tyler and Mrs. Florence Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Cole returned home Sunday night after vacationing a week at Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Oseal Mills are entertaining their grandchildren, Ruth and Paul Durgin, while their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Durgin, is a patient at the CMG Hospital.

Mrs. Miriam McAllister attended a Teachers' Convention at Aroostook State Teachers' College, Presque Isle, as a delegate, last week.

Mrs. Robert Stetson and sons, Bernard and Gary, Damariscotta Mills, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Cole a few days recently.

Mrs. Anna Stowell is having this week off from her work at B. R. Billings and enjoying a trip with her son and family.

Mrs. Addalynn Mann, accompanied by Mrs. Constance Alger were the week end guests of Mrs. Mann's son, Edward Burnham, and family at Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanley Andrews returned Monday from a fishing trip to Eustis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Twitchell and family were the guests Sunday of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Trussell, at Pittston.

Mrs. Gerda Read, Brookline, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. Addalynn Mann and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen, with Mr. and Mrs. John Tebbets, Bethel, spent the week end in Boston and vicinity.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Billings were Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth MacDonald and daughter, Ann, Yarmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Karl Davidson and two children, Meriden, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dale, Milan, N. H.; Mrs. Fred Holt, and Bertrand and family, Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister returned Sunday night from a few days in Washington County where they visited relatives of Mrs. McAllister at Whitneyville, Machias and Pembroke. Mr. McAllister also called to see Miss Charlotte Leavitt at Calais.

The Association of Universalist Women met Monday afternoon, at the home of the President, Mary Knight, with 12 present. The Worship Service was conducted by Mrs. Eva Mills, assisted by Mrs. Leslie Holgate. Plans were completed for the annual sale, which will be held Friday, August 17, at 2 p. m. at Mrs. Russ' lawn. In case of rain, it will be held at the Grange Hall. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Flora Cole. The next meeting will be held Sept. 10 at the home of Mrs. Edna Day.

Slow Down and Live—And Let Live! I remember, I remember, the town where I was born.

The muddy lanes (we called 'em roads) we used to travel on. We didn't get there near so fast as you folks do today.

But then again, we didn't kill so many on the way!

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford on the third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said July. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the fourth Tuesday of August A. D. 1956 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henrietta E. Swain, of Bethel, Ward Second and Final Guardian Account presented for allowance by Edwin E. Swain, Guardian. The Ward having been married and her name now being Henrietta Swain-Taft.

Lowell S. Bell, late of Portland, Florida, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Anna S. Oberlin, Executrix.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

WILLIAM R. CLAYTON Register 22-34

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THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

East Bethel Daily Vacation Bible School closed on Friday, August 10 with a program presented at the Grange Hall before an interested group of parents. The following program was presented by Mrs. Lucy DeRoach, leader of Riddle's Flag Salute; Song, My Country 'Tis of Thee; Pledge to the Christian Flag; Song, Standing on the Promises of God; School verse, Acts 16:31; Song, In My Heart; Prayer; Address of welcome and reading, Mrs. DeRoach; Play, The Good Samaritan, by the primary children; group of songs by the primary children; Bible verses in unison by the intermediate children; presentation of prizes for excellent work in Bible study, Stanley Howe, Louville Farwell, Clarence Remington, Gloria Swan, Melonie Lute, Sue Howe, Joyce Farwell; Question and answer period on the study of the prophets; Songs by all groups; Presentation of certificates for perfect attendance; Presentation of gift to Mrs. DeRoach by Richard Farwell who was also assistant leader.

Mrs. Ruth Forner of Riddleville was musician.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elliott and Stanley of Rumford Point; Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott of North Woodstock were visitors of Mrs. George Lute on Thursday evening.

George Lute arrived early Friday morning from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for a two week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Verrill and family of Milton Road Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin, Grand, Cynthia, and Pamela, of South Waterford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

David Foster, Walter Hamlin, George Lute, Albert Foster and John Foster went on White Cap Mountain blackberrying Sunday with good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holmes and sons, Freddie and Charlie, went on a trip to Ogunquit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pratt of South Paris, Me. and Mrs. Olive Whitman, and daughter, Dawnalyn, of South Paris were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis Dawson on Saturday for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coffin and family of Norway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton, George Newton, and Jeanne Coffin were in Upton Sunday. Jeanne will visit Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hilper and children who have been attending the conference of South Bethel returned to their home in Bethel, Me. Sunday.

Robert Hastings is attending a Conference meeting in Van Buren for a few days this week.

Mrs. Gordon Olson and Mrs. Ann Hastings were home for a few days from their work at Bethel State Camp at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wing and family of Bethel, Me. and Mrs. Edna Smith of Grand, Me. were week end visitors of Mrs. Edna Smith.

The Bethel Citizen is a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the fourth Tuesday of August A. D. 1956 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henrietta E. Swain, of Bethel, Ward Second and Final Guardian Account presented for allowance by Edwin E. Swain, Guardian. The Ward having been married and her name now being Henrietta Swain-Taft.

Lowell S. Bell, late of Portland, Florida, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Anna S. Oberlin, Executrix.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

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WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres. —

The ways and means committee and the publicity committee of West Bethel Union Church have been announced as follows: publicity, Cathryn Lovell, Ruby Rolfe, Ruth Gilbert and Olive Head; ways and means committee, Carroll Abbott, Gordon Mason, Herman Mason, Herman Bennett, Fred Lovell, Clarence Rolfe, and Cleveland Lovell.

At a meeting of the ways and means committee last Thursday plans were made for the repairs on the church basement and rest room.

The Ladies Chapel Aid Society met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Lovell with six members present. The history of the church was looked over, plans for making money were discussed and a social hour enjoyed.

It was decided to have a pot luck picnic supper Saturday, Aug. 18th, at 6 p. m. at the church. Everyone will bring a picnic supper, coffee will be furnished by the church. An auction of various items including dishes, small articles of furniture, and antiques will follow the supper. Anyone may donate to the auction.

The Rally Day program presented by the vacation Bible School Friday night was: processional; flags presented; welcome song, primary; offering; Doxology; song by school, "This is My Father's World"; preschool and kindergarten, "This is a Ball for Baby"; "Jesus Loves Me"; "What We Give"; primary, song "Lord of the Sunlight"; explanation of work with illustrations; 23rd Psalm; song "Keep Smiling"; junior group recitations; 100th Psalm; song "Tell Me the Story"; presentation of diplomas; song group; benediction; recessional.

Linda Gilbert was guest of honor at a party for her 3rd birthday, Aug. 8th. A picnic dinner was served. Linda received several gifts. Those attending were Glen and Neil Gilbert, Sheila, Rowena and Roberta Gilbert, Bobby, Lee, Reggie and Linda Gilbert, Craig Boyd, Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert.

Pleasant Valley Grange met last Thursday night with 15 members and four visitors present. Maple Leaf 4-H Club held their exhibition of their year's work Refreshments: Allen Walker, Mrs. Gordon Mason and Mrs. Katherine Bennett. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Snow of Mt. Forest Grange of Bethel. N. H. Charles Smith showed some very interesting slides of his trips to Glacier National Park and Alaska at an open meeting. Refreshments were furnished by Josephine Kendall Barbara Wheeler, Dorothy Graves, Carla Bennett, committee for next meeting is: Mrs. Lona Gilbert and Ruth Gilbert.

A carter plowman alighted at Burton Newton's Saturday and stayed there through the night and Sunday. It had a hard about the top.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert were at Summer Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hay of Durham, Maine; Mrs. Lena Thibault of Riddleville were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis.

Gene Burns and Bonnie Thibault went on White Cap Mountain blackberrying this week.

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SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

We were glad to have Howard Waterhouse call on us Sunday. He returned from Germany and is home.

Mel Tenney and David Fleet have gone to Portland where Mr. Bennett has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rolfe and daughter, Rockville, Conn., returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rolfe. Mrs. Bernard Rolfe returned home with them for a two week's visit.

Miss June Burris is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burris, Tyngsboro, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Brenda Jean, Monday, Aug. 13.

Miss Mary Head is at music camp at Farmington for two weeks. Elaine Smith, North Waterford, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert.

were up on Black Mountain Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Barnes of Scarborough and their son, Dr. and Mrs. Barnes and children of Hiram were at their camp, the Nubhorn at Ketchum over the week end.

Romeo Baker returned to Plainfield Thursday but the family will not go for some time yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Verrill were in town Monday, just for an overnight stop.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Plummer of Gorham, Maine, and Miss Alice Walsh of Portland were Friday callers at R. M. Fleet's.

David Fleet was home over the week end.

Howard Taylor of Livermore was in town Monday.

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EDITORIAL

It's Up To You.

It is believed by some that one more fortunate than other places of the important functions of a newspaper is frequent and regular publication of the opinions of its management on topics of interest to its readers. In a weekly paper it is generally assumed that these editorials should cover local problems and serve to present a fair picture of situations as well as offer suggestions for practical solutions or improvement of unsatisfactory conditions.

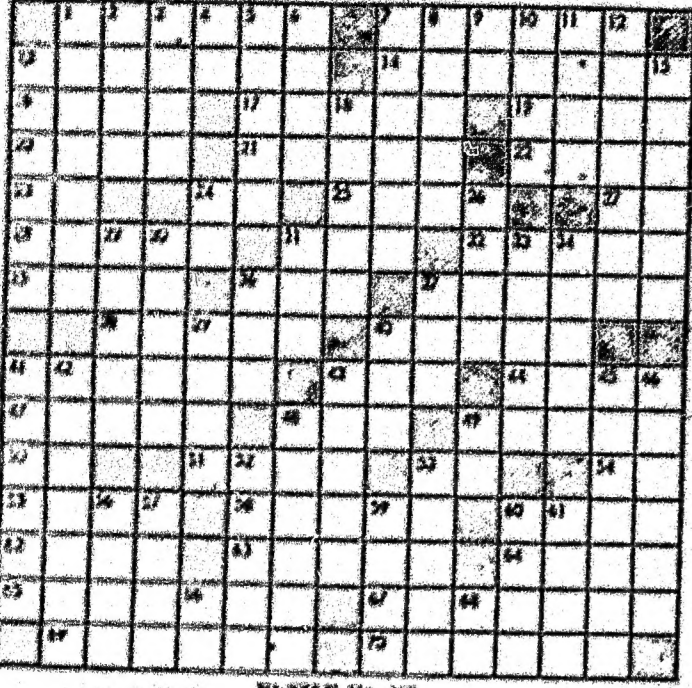
It has long been our experience that during faults which remained in our local life, and which were the cause of some discussion and criticism, were already recognized by such authorities as could effect a remedy or cure for the situation, and any of our remarks would serve no useful purpose.

One of our more common criticisms has been the village's parking and traffic conditions. While this feature of village life remains less than ideal, reports from other communities of like size seem to indicate that Bethel may be

more fortunate than other places in the election of next month. May publication of the opinions of our readers that at that time it will be our duty and privilege to make a choice of several of our county and state officials. The easy way of course will be to vote a "straight" ticket, and many will do that. A study of the field will reveal men of real ability on both the Republican and Democratic lists, and for that reason we feel that there may well be a large number of "split" tickets. We believe it will be well worth your time to consider the qualifications of the candidates, and if these gentlemen lag in presenting their best points, active members of their party will be glad to enlighten you.

Presumably during the next few weeks groups interested in promoting the sale of intoxicants will seek to increase the number of "wet" towns with the customary spread of propaganda and advertising.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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Sunday Buffet Table Popular at Bethel Inn



The regular Sunday evening buffet table at Bethel Inn has become a popular feature this summer. Left to right: Mrs. Ira Cunningham, Mrs. Ethel Hirst, Miss Arlene Chase, George Roy, Miss Carla Grover, Miss Ann Deagless, Miss Judith Freeman, Miss Marie Mills, Kenneth Emery, Miss Susan Kneeland, Miss Pauline King, Miss Arlene Coledge, Miss Florence Roy, Mrs. Maude Goodwin.

—Don Brown Photo

A SIMPLE PROPOSITION

The bosses of communist Russia used to forecast that the economy of the United States—call it capitalism, call it free enterprise, or call it anything else—was due for a collapse. Then communism, having proven its superiority, would inherit the earth.

Now, according to Edwin A. Lohrey of the Chicago Daily News Service, an abrupt reversal has taken place in the Kremlin. He reports that the present head man, Khrushchev, in a recent private

THAT BUDGET SURPLUS

During the last fiscal year which ended June 30, the federal government had a budget surplus of some what more than \$1,780,000,000. This was the first time federal revenues have exceeded expenditures since 1921, and only the fourth time since 1920.

Even so modest a surplus as the recent one is gratifying. It would be a great deal more so had it been the result of a real economy program. It was not.

Actually, spending in the 1935 fiscal year was about \$3 billion greater than initial estimates. The surplus came from a combination of two factors—a record business boom coupled with very high tax rates. Even a comparatively mild downturn in business activity could quickly wipe out a surplus and replace it with a deficit.

The moral is that the need for economy in government grows more, not less, acute. We have a surplus blueprint in the Hoover Commission reports. These constitute the most exhaustive and most authoritative studies of the federal government's financial and spending setup ever made. They are entirely non-partisan, the various Task Forces having been selected with membership drawn from both the major parties. They go into every phase of government operation: paper work, budgetary practices, personnel, procurement, property management, government business enterprise, and so on. To all savings, if all recommendations were followed, would run to many billions a year.

None of the Hoover proposals have been put into effect. Many others including the most important have not. These should have high priority on the agenda when Congress convenes again.

TODAY'S Meditation

Read Hebrews 11:23-28.

Most thou faith? Have it to thyself before God. (Romans 14-22.)

THE people of a certain church had saved some money to build an education building by their church. An assembly of church members was held. The pastor presented the construction plans and estimated cost of the new building.

In opposition somebody said: "I consider it a great risk to take so large responsibility when our available money for this purpose is very little more than the amount of the first installment to be paid." The pastor replied: "If my brother has faith, let all be in the hands of the heavenly Father."

Two years later the building was finished. The beautiful building was an eloquent evidence of the truth how men can receive from God's hands when they have faith in God.

Now, if somebody talks of this building as a victory of men only, the pastor says, in protest, "Not! It was a work of the faith!"

Prayer

O God, we praise Thee for the unshakable faith Thou dost give. We praise Thee for Thy servants of long past days and of people we know today. Use us to do something for Thy great Kingdom. We ask it in our Saviour's name. Amen.

Thought For The Day

God makes victories for people who have faith in Him.

—Tavares Franco (Brazil)

CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor
Mrs. Neola Littlefield, Organist
Miss Minnie Wilson, Sunday School Superintendent

Friday, Aug. 17, from 1 to 5 p. m. Regular Friday Gift Shop in the Church Annex, held by the WSCS.

Sunday, August 18:
9:45 a. m. Regular Sunday School each Sunday this summer.
11:00 a. m. Church Worship, Congregationalists, friends uniting with Methodists for 4 Sundays of August. Sermon by Rev. McMahon on theme: "Control Thyself."

The Junior Choir of the Methodist Church will hold first rehearsal on September 6.

WEST PARK CHURCH
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Mrs. John Tobolsky, Choir Director
Miss Darnie Christie, Organist

Throughout the month of August the members and friends of West Park Church are cordially invited to attend Union services at the Bethel Methodist Church.

Friday, August 17, 7:30 p. m.: The Church Council will meet in Carland Memorial Chapel.

Monday, August 27, 7:30 p. m.: This is a tentative date for a special church meeting in Garland Memorial Chapel for the purpose of appointing Pulpit Committee and to decide if the church school should have new study facilities.

BETHEL CATHOLIC SERVICES
There will be Catholic Mass at 8 o'clock Sunday morning at the Bethel Theatre. For information call 30 before 4 p. m. After 6 p. m. call 34-3.

LOCKE MILLS UNION CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Mrs. Richard Melville, Choir Director

Raymond Swan, Sunday School Superintendent

Sermons for Sunday August 18 9:30 a. m. Morning Worship. The morning's sermon is entitled "The Last Temptation" and is a meditation on the Lord's Prayer. Following the worship service there will be a meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Sunday, August 26: Church picnic to which all members and friends of the church are invited. Details will be announced later.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Authorized Christian Science literature and textbook may be found in the Public Library.

Bible reading: "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 2:5).

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH
Rev. Raymond Bradley, Minister
Thursday and Friday, Aug. 16 and 17: Boys of Maple Grove Youth Fellowship climb Mt. Washington.

Saturday, 6 p. m.: Pot luck picnic supper on the church lawn. Everyone bring food and dishes. Auction following supper.

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Worship Service.
10:35 a. m. Church School.
6:30 p. m. Maple Grove Youth Fellowship. Second part of "What Protestants Believe" led by Charles Merrill.

SUNDAY'S SURMON

REV. ROBERT H. HANSEN
THE TWO WAYS

Jesus tells of the two great ways that lead from time to eternity. The one is broad and smooth, and it seems easy to a man but the end thereof is death. The other is strait and narrow and it is difficult to travel, but it leads to the gate of heaven.

Striving may prove easy to men and the narrow way may seem hard and difficult. But the destination of each way should lead a man to turn his feet into the narrow way. To put on a new and follow in the footsteps of Jesus is a hard thing. It is said that the way is "strait." This is a different word from "straight." It is a name given a word except tongue of land between two armies. The word also means hard and difficult. But though the strait way of righteousness leads to daily struggle, it ends in a clear conscience and happy thought at the close of day. This way is also an unpopular way, for Jesus says that a few travel it.

Now consider that these are the only ways which lead from time to eternity. There is no middle way leading off between. It is not possible to compromise between evil and good, and there is no possibility of a merger between the two. So let us avoid compromise, and knowing that God demands of each of us that our lives be true and right.

"Use what talent you have. The weeds would be mighty about it if we were any except those that sow seed." —Linda Morris.

There's Danger About!
We're in a National Traffic Emergency.
Which Threatens Our Health and Wealth

The average loss was more than \$4,000, as shown by a study of the traffic law of every state.

This year we're putting even more money, time and extra effort into saving our traffic problem. Last year the nation's loss was \$1,000,000,000. This year it's \$2,000,000,000. The loss is \$1,000,000,000 more.

Nowhere on the highway is there an average loss of more than \$4,000. At the rate we're going so far this year, 42,000 Americans will die annually in traffic—the highest total in our history.

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THE AMERICAN WAY



STATE 4-H EVENTS BEING HELD THIS WEEK

Several statewide 4-H club events are being held this week at the University of Maine. The State Vegetable and Forestry Short Courses run from Monday through Friday and the State 4-H Contest Day is being held Thursday. Outstanding delegates from each county are taking part. The 4-H Contest Day includes state contests in the Style Dress Review, Dairy Foods Demonstrations, Egg Grading, Poultry Demonstrations, and Tractor Driving. The State 4-H Club Leaders' Advisory Council is also meeting Thursday.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Clanton, Ala. News: "If you are the parent of a teen age driver you owe it to yourself to drive out... and look at the highway where they scratch-off on their death-defying trip back to town... be sure to note the long skid marks along the highway where a 'chicken' had to give in for an on-coming car. After all this, when you get back to town you'll say 'my boy couldn't be doing that.' Well, we just hope you can keep feeling that way when the bad news comes."

Emporia, Kan. Gazette: "Emporia is doing its bit in urging more young people to learn how to swim. There is alarm over physical fitness in the U. S. and swimming is a hot-selling forty ways from Sunday."

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some night next week.

We had scheduled 2 games with Lovell-North Fryeburg but their manager has cancelled both of them as it gets dark too early to play a full game of 7 innings so he says. West Paris Defeats Bethel Indians. Our Pony team travelled to West Paris last Tuesday evening and lost 8 to 4. "Jeff" Hutchins hurled well for Bethel, allowing 10 hits, struck out 7 and issued 5 walks. Some of our best hitters were Steve Saunders, 2 out of 3, and Hutchins, 2 out of 4.

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Don Rice ss	3	0	0
Hutchins p	4	2	2
DesRoches cf 2b	3	1	0
Lincoln lf	3	0	1
Saunders 1b	3	1	2
Heath 2b	2	0	1
Chris Angevine cf	0	0	0
Tibbetts 3b	3	0	0
Merrill c	2	0	0
Doug Rice c	0	0	0
B Rice rf	1	0	0
Ring rf	1	0	0
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West Paris	ab	r	h
Young 2b	4	1	1
Heikkinen lf	4	1	1
Baker ss	1	1	0
Emery c	4	0	2
Palmer 1b	4	0	1
Curts 3b	4	1	2
Galletley p	1	1	0
Hibler c	3	2	3
Ellingwood rf	2	0	0
Perham rf	0	1	0
	27	8	10

Trip to Boston Planned

For Ballplayers
"Spec" Guernsey sent to Boston for 50 tickets and has received them for the ball game in Boston next Wednesday August 22nd between the Chicago White Sox and the Red Sox. Those planning to go are to meet at Chapin's Shell Station at 7 a. m. sharp.

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Parity Chapter, No. 188, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Annie Hastings, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 138. West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Mason. Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesday. President, Howard Cole. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Lunt. Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

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Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Henry Boyker. Secretary, Mrs. R. E. Tibbitts.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Frank Mary. Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Charles A. Kocak. Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Stanley Gallant. Secretary, James Hutchins.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. in Gould Academy Music Room. President, Florence Emery. Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evenings. President, Robert Keniston. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Clifford Hillier. Secretary, Louise Lincoln.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Miriam McAllister. Secretary, Eva Twitchell.

World-Allen Post, No. 51, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commandant, Leslie Kendall. Adjutant, Jack Compass.

World-Allen Unit, No. 51, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Mary Kendall. Secretary, Edna Donahue.

Alder River Grange, No. 145, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Richard Stevens. Secretary, Marguerite Portant.

Star River Grange, No. 224, Newry Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Paul Wight. Secretary, Ida Wight.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rumbold Community Hospital. Meets first Monday evenings. President, Constance Thurston. Secretary, Barbara Brown.

Stamp Club. Meets Wednesday afternoon after school, 3:30, at Mrs. Mabel O'Brien's on Paradise St. President, Donald Christie. Secretary, Nancy Lincoln. Treasurer, Dickie Bennett.

Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association. Meets third Thursday at 8:00 P. M. in Lookie's Mills Town Hall. Visitors welcome. President, Arthur Valley. Secretary, Arthur Cummings.

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WEST PARIS

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Mrs. Mary Perham, Mrs. Mac Emery, Mrs. Jeanette Carlin and Vernon Ellingwood attended the Universalist Institute at Ferry Beach, Saco, on Friday.

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Nancy and Brenda Farr are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. George Marston, at Canton.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham during the week end were, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swanson and daughter, Signe, of Dorchester, Mass.

Mrs. Maud Coburn, South Paris, is spending a few weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Curtis.

Mrs. Abbie Abbott is gaining from her recent heart attack.

The Forward Fellowship of the Universalist Church served a public ham supper at the Good Will Hall Wednesday evening. Committee in charge, Eleanor Inman and Martha Day.

Mrs. Gilman Tuell returned from the CMG Hospital, last week.

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TO THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF BETHEL, MAINE:

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Paradise Street: From existing pole #10 on Broad Street, in an easterly direction, a distance of approximately 3 of a mile, to and including pole #12 on Paradise Street, so-called. This will include poles #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 to be located on the westerly side, and poles #13 and 14 on the easterly side of said street.

Elm Street: From existing pole #11 on Railroad Street, in a southerly direction, a distance of approximately 3 of a mile, to and including pole #14 on Elm Street, so-called. This will include poles #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 to be located on the westerly side, and poles #13 and 14 on the easterly side of said street.

All poles mentioned above to be the property of Central Maine Power Company.

All pole locations to be as now staked out and are to replace existing facilities. All other pole locations along routes described above are hereby abandoned.

Central Maine Power Company
By D. C. Kilgour
August 5, 1956
A true copy. Attest:
Margaret J. Baker
Town Clerk of Bethel, Maine
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